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Washington, D.C. 20231

NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Inventor(s): Paul J. Mason and Mark A. Kanouse

For (title): FLOATING CONE CONTINUOUSLY VARIABLE TRANSMISSION

1. Type of Application

This transmittal is for an original (nonprovisional) application.

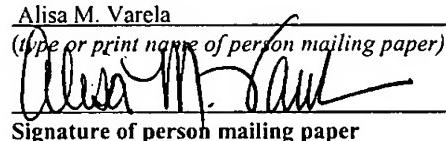
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**2. Papers Enclosed**

A. Required for filing date under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) (Regular) or 37 C.F.R. 1.153 (Design)  
Application

7 Page(s) of Specification  
4 Page(s) of Claims  
3 Sheet(s) of Drawing(s)-Informal

B. Other Papers Enclosed

1 Page(s) of Abstract  
IDS Form 1449 with references

**3. Declaration or Oath**

Will follow.

**4. Language**

English

**5. Assignment**

Will follow.

**6. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. 1.16)**

**Regular Application**

CLAIMS AS FILED						
Claims	Number Filed	Basic Fee Allowance	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee 37 CFR 1.16(a) \$740.00	
Total Claims (37 CFR 1.16(c))	14	- 20 =	0 x	\$18.00	\$0.00	
Independent Claims (37 CFR 1.16(b))	3	- 3 =	0 x	\$84.00	\$0.00	
Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any (37 CFR 1.16(d))			+	\$280.00	\$0.00	
<b>Filing Fee Calculation</b>						<b>\$740.00</b>

**7. Fee Payment Being Made at This Time**

Enclosed

Filing Fee	\$740.00
<b>Total Fees Enclosed</b>	<b>\$740.00</b>

**8. Method of Payment of Fees**

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